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# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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| Attorney Docket No.    | 413918   |
| First Inventor         | SoonKwan Park  |
| Title                  | Cookware Lid Assembly With Sealing Band And Whistling Handle |
| Express Mail Label No. | EL578976551US  |

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| Name (Print/Type) Gerald M. Kraai  |  | Registration No. (Attorney/Agent) 34,854   |  |
| Signature <u>Gerald M Kraai</u>  |  | Date March 16, 2004  |  |

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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) 385

## Complete if Known

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| Application Number   | Not Yet Assigned |
| Filing Date          | Herewith         |
| First Named Inventor | SoonKwan Park    |
| Examiner Name        | Not Yet Assigned |
| Art Unit             | Not Yet Assigned |
| Attorney Docket No.  | 413918           |

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## FEE CALCULATION

## 1. BASIC FILING FEE

| Large Entity |          | Small Entity |          | Fee Description        | Fee Paid |
|--------------|----------|--------------|----------|------------------------|----------|
| Fee Code     | Fee (\$) | Fee Code     | Fee (\$) |                        |          |
| 1001         | 770      | 2001         | 385      | Utility filing fee     | 385.00   |
| 1002         | 340      | 2002         | 170      | Design filing fee      |          |
| 1003         | 530      | 2003         | 265      | Plant filing fee       |          |
| 1004         | 770      | 2004         | 385      | Reissue filing fee     |          |
| 1005         | 160      | 2005         | 80       | Provisional filing fee |          |

SUBTOTAL (1)

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## 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

|                    |    |        |   |   |   |    |   |   |
|--------------------|----|--------|---|---|---|----|---|---|
| Total Claims       | 20 | -20 ** | = | 0 | X | 18 | = | 0 |
| Independent Claims | 3  | -3 **  | = | 0 | X | 86 | = | 0 |
| Multiple Dependent |    |        |   |   | X |    | = | 0 |

| Large Entity |          | Small Entity |          | Fee Description  |
|--------------|----------|--------------|----------|--|
| Fee Code     | Fee (\$) | Fee Code     | Fee (\$) |  |
| 1202         | 18       | 2202         | 9        | Claims in excess of 20                                     |
| 1201         | 86       | 2201         | 43       | Independent claims in excess of 3                          |
| 1203         | 290      | 2203         | 145      | Multiple dependent claim, if not paid                      |
| 1204         | 86       | 2204         | 43       | ** Reissue independent claims over original patent         |
| 1205         | 18       | 2205         | 9        | ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent |

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## 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

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| Fee Code     | Fee (\$) | Fee Code     | Fee (\$) |  |          |
| 1051         | 130      | 2051         | 65       | Surcharge - late filing fee or oath  |          |
| 1052         | 50       | 2052         | 25       | Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.                    |          |
| 1053         | 130      | 1053         | 130      | Non-English specification  |          |
| 1812         | 2,520    | 1812         | 2,520    | For filing a request for reexamination                                     |          |
| 1804         | 920*     | 1804         | 920*     | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action                     |          |
| 1805         | 1,840*   | 1805         | 1,840*   | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action                        |          |
| 1251         | 110      | 2251         | 55       | Extension for reply within first month                                     |          |
| 1252         | 420      | 2252         | 210      | Extension for reply within second month                                    |          |
| 1253         | 950      | 2253         | 475      | Extension for reply within third month                                     |          |
| 1254         | 1480     | 2254         | 740      | Extension for reply within fourth month                                    |          |
| 1255         | 2010     | 2255         | 1005     | Extension for reply within fifth month                                     |          |
| 1401         | 330      | 2401         | 165      | Notice of Appeal   |          |
| 1402         | 330      | 2402         | 165      | Filing a brief in support of an appeal                                     |          |
| 1403         | 290      | 2403         | 145      | Request for oral hearing   |          |
| 1451         | 1,510    | 1451         | 1,510    | Petition to institute a public use proceeding                              |          |
| 1452         | 110      | 2452         | 55       | Petition to revive - unavoidable   |          |
| 1453         | 1330     | 2453         | 665      | Petition to revive - unintentional   |          |
| 1501         | 1330     | 2501         | 665      | Utility issue fee (or reissue)   |          |
| 1502         | 480      | 2502         | 240      | Design issue fee   |          |
| 1503         | 640      | 2503         | 320      | Plant issue fee  |          |
| 1460         | 130      | 1460         | 130      | Petitions to the Commissioner  |          |
| 1807         | 50       | 1807         | 50       | Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17 (q)                                       |          |
| 1806         | 180      | 1806         | 180      | Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt                                  |          |
| 8021         | 40       | 8021         | 40       | Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) |          |
| 1809         | 770      | 2809         | 385      | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))              |          |
| 1810         | 770      | 2810         | 385      | For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))           |          |
| 1801         | 770      | 2801         | 385      | Request for Continued Examination (RCE)                                    |          |
| 1802         | 900      | 1802         | 900      | Request for expedited examination of a design application                  |          |

Other fee (specify) \_\_\_\_\_


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| Serial No.<br><br>Not Yet Assigned   | Filing Date<br><br>Herewith | Examiner<br><br>Not Yet Assigned | Group Art Unit<br><br>Not Yet Assigned |
| Invention      COOKWARE LID ASSEMBLY WITH SEALING BAND AND WHISTLING HANDLE  |                             |                                  |  |
| <p>I hereby certify that this Utility Patent Application Transmittal (1 page); Specification including 20 claims and abstract (14 pages); Drawings Figs 1-7 (4 pages); Declaration For Utility Or Design Patent Application (2 pages); Fee Transmittal For FY 2004 (1 page in duplicate); Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages); Information Disclosure Statement By Applicant PTO Form 1449 (1 page); authorization to charge \$385.00 for the filing fee; authorization to charge additional fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 12-0600; and return post card are being mailed in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop PATENT APPLICATION, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on this 16th day of March, 2004.</p> |                             |                                  |  |
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